

**WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:**

1. A liquid crystal display device, comprising:  
gate and data lines on a first substrate and crossing each other defining a pixel region;  
a thin film transistor at a crossing of the gate and data lines;  
a pixel electrode on a first substrate connected to the thin film transistor and having a circular band shape;  
a common line on a second substrate spaced apart from and facing the first substrate;  
and  
a common electrode in the shape of a circular band extending from the common line.
2. The device of claim 1, wherein the common electrode alternates with the pixel electrode.
3. The device of claim 1, wherein the common electrode includes first and second common electrode patterns and the pixel electrode includes first and second pixel electrode patterns, wherein the first pixel electrode pattern is disposed between the first and second common electrode patterns and the second pixel electrode pattern is disposed inside the second common electrode pattern.
4. The device of claim 3, wherein a first space between the first and second common electrode patterns is equal to a second space between the first and second pixel electrode patterns.
5. The device of claim 1, wherein the pixel and common electrodes have an elliptical shape.
6. The device of claim 1, further comprising a black matrix and a color filter layer on the second substrate, wherein the color filter layer includes red, green and blue sub-color filters.

7. The device of claim 8, wherein the black matrix includes an opening exposing the pixel and common electrodes.

8. The device of claim 9, wherein the black matrix overlaps an edge of the common electrode.

9. The device of claim 1, wherein the pixel region has a substantially rectangular structure.

10. The device of claim 11, wherein the liquid crystal display device includes a pixel having red, green, blue and white sub-pixels, wherein each sub-pixel corresponds to the pixel region.

11. The device of claim 1, wherein a portion of the common line is parallel to the gate line.

12. A method of fabricating a liquid crystal display device, comprising:  
forming a pixel electrode of a circular band shape on a first substrate;  
forming a common electrode of a circular band shape on a second substrate;  
attaching the first and second substrates such that the common electrode alternates with the pixel electrode; and  
injecting a liquid crystal material between the first and second substrates.

13. The method of claim 12, further comprising a thin film transistor on the first substrate, wherein the thin film transistor is connected to the pixel electrode.

14. The method of claim 12, wherein a space between the pixel electrode and the common electrode has a circular band shape.

15. The method of claim 12, further comprising forming Ag dots on the common electrode.